

## Message Text

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TAGS: ETRD,HCO

SUBJ: REDUCTION IN ADVANCE IMPORT PAYMENT

REF: BOGOTA 1005, FEBRUARY 4, 1974

1. RESOLUTION 30 OF JUNE 18, 1975 FORMULATED BY THE COLOMBIAN MONETARY BOARD REDUCED THE ADVANCE PAYMENT DEPOSIT FOR IMPORTS FROM 40 PERCENT TO 35 PERCENT OF FOB VALUE. THIS DEPOSIT, WHICH IS REQUIRED FOR MOST IMPORTS, MUST BE PAID BY THE IMPORTER TO THE CENTRAL BANK. THE CORRESPONDING RECEIPT MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE IMPORT REGISTRATION FORM WHICH IS SUBMITTED TO THE COLOMBIAN INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN TRADE INCOMEX.

2. RESOLUTION 30 ALSO INDICATES THAT IN ADDITION TO THOSE IMPORTS PREVIOUSLY EXEMPTED FROM THE ADVANCE IMPORT PAYMENT REQUIREMENT, WHICH WERE LISTED IN REFTEL, THE FOLLOWING ARE ALSO EXEMPT:

A) THOSE MADE BY OFFICIAL AND PRIVATE ENTITIES UNDER SPECIAL CREDIT CONDITIONS WITH A MINIMUM TERM OF THREE YEARS WITH OR WITHOUT DOWN OR MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS.

B) THOSE MADE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL FAIR OF BOGOTA  
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WHICH WILL BE HELD IN JULY, 1975.

3. THE REDUCTION TO 35 PERCENT BECAME EFFECTIVE JULY 1,  
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